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TITLE: IMPLANT FOR INSERTION BETWEEN VERTEBRAE OF THE SPINAL COLUMN

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Commissioner:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated October 29, 2009, Applicants submit herewith a new listing of claims wherein each claim has been provided with the proper status identifier. The listing of claims submitted with the Amendment filed on August 7, 2009 incorrectly indicated claim 1 as being currently amendment but in fact was previously presented.

Please substitute the enclosed listing of claims for the listing of claims submitted with the Amendment filed on August 7, 2009.

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Enclosure: New Listing of Claims.

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